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DURRANT CONVICTED

FOUND GUILTY OF THE MURDER OF BLANCHE LAMONT.

Tumultuous Scene Took Place In the Courtroom When the Verdict Was Announced—The Doomed Man Consoles His Mother—The Case Will Be Appealed—Williams Murder Next.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—Theodore Durrant, assistant superintendent of Emanuel Baptist church Sunday school, has been convicted of the murder of Blanche Lamont, after he had been on trial since July 22, last. The jury arrived at a verdict on the first ballot. As there was no recommendation of mercy the punishment will be fixed at death. It was exactly 21 minutes from the time the jury left the courtroom to the time the verdict was announced, but that time was not all taken up in deliberation. In fact there was no deliberation at all.

The scene in the courtroom when the verdict was announced will never be forgotten by those present.

Before the jury came in Mrs. Durrant and the prisoner talked and laughed to-

THEODORE DURRANT.

gether as if an acquittal were a foregone conclusion. They were surrounded by a half dozen friends and the conversation was animated when it became whispered about that the jury had agreed upon a verdict. In an instant a hush fell upon the little circle that had gathered around the prisoner. Durrant's face, always pallid, assumed a ghastly hue and his mother was speechless. Then the door at the rear of the room opened and the jury filed in and took their seats in the box. Intense excitement followed. The room, although filled to its utmost capacity, was almost as quiet as if it had been vacant.

As the aged foreman, pale and trembling, read the words that fixed Durrant's fate, a low rumbling noise like the roar of a mob arose from the rear of the courtroom. The next moment men were cheering wildly, while women wept hysterically in excitement. The bailiff rapped loudly for order, but the tumult continued for a minute before anything like quiet could be brought out of the disorder.

During the tumult that followed the announcement of the verdict Durrant and his mother were lost sight of except by the few who sat nearest them. As the last words of the verdict were uttered, Durrant made a spasmodic ef-

MINNIE WILLIAMS. BLANCHE LAMONT.

fort to rise to his feet, but before he could do so his mother, with a half sigh, half moan, threw her arms about his neck and sank back into her chair. His mother's grief seemed to make Durrant forget his own position and for a few minutes he sat with his arms around her neck, trying to soothe her. The long strain of the trial, however, had completely shattered her selfcontrol, and it was some time before Mrs. Durrant could leave the courtroom.

As soon as Durrant left the building the crowd surged out of the room and gathered around the door out of which the prisoner usually came to reach the prison van. Fearing some violence might be offered the prisoner he was taken out of another door and driven by a circuitous route to the county jail.

Judge Murphy says that on Friday he will fix the day for the execution of Durrant and at the same time will set the day for his trial for the murder of Minnie Williams.

The case will be appealed to the supreme court and it is expected nearly a year will elapse before a decision will be obtained.

Mississippi Sheriffs Short.

GREENVILLE, Nov. 2.—Investigations recently made by the officials of the Mississippi levee board show that the late sheriff, John L. Griffin of Washington county, was short in his settlements with the board fully $10,000. Other sheriffs were also found to be short in their settlements of levee taxes collected by them in their respective counties, but the amounts were small.

Monthly Coinage Statement.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—The monthly coinage statement shows coin executed at the United States mints during the month of October as follows: Gold, $7,215,709; silver, $320,000; 1-cent pieces, $23,500; total coinage, $8,059,200.

NACOGDOCHES, Tex., Nov. 4.—A difficulty between F. M. Runnels and Jim Hughes occurred at Pea Ridge in which Hughes was shot four times with a pistol and instantly killed. They were brothers-in-law and quarreled over a security debt against Hughes. Runnels came to town and surrendered.

Ben Powell Assassinated.

MEMPHIS, Nov. 4.—Ben Powell, a well known young man about town, was assassinated at his home on Kerr avenue just before daylight Sunday morning. Richard Johnson, a negro, has been arrested charged with the crime.

JACK DEMPSEY DEAD.

The Famous Pugilist Dies of Consumption at Portland.

PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 2.—Jack Dempsey, the wellknown pugilist, died at his residence in this city Friday morning

JACK DEMPSEY.

of consumption. He was a pugilist of nerve, backed by much science, and was a favorite during his day. It is said his death was hastened by a blow from Bob Fitzsimmons during a fight.

Earthquake Shock.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 1.—Severe earthquake shock occurred here yesterday morning. Little damage was done. The shock was felt throughout the Mississippi valley from Wisconsin to Louisiana. It was also felt in Michigan, Indiana, Ohio and Kansas. The damage was light everywhere.

Freightrain Wrecked.

CHILLICOTHE, Tex., Nov. 4.—A southbound freightrain was wrecked six miles north of here. Considerable damage was done to cars. One brakeman and the conductor were badly bruised, but not seriously injured.

In Jail at Dallas.

DALLAS, Nov. 2.—Levi Moore and Jack Moore, charged with the murder of Deputy Sheriff Ad Pate of Dallas county were transferred from Waco to the Dallas county jail.

Drowned In a Well.

AUSTIN, Nov. 2.—While drawing water from a well in the Grooms addition Robert J. Lamme was overcome with an epileptic fit, and falling into the well was drowned before he could be rescued.

Mrs. Ann Throckmorton.

MCKINNEY, Tex., Nov. 2.—Mrs. Ann Throckmorton, widow of the late ex-Governor Throckmorton, died at her residence in this city Thursday after a long illness.

Child Left Alone.

ROUND ROCK, Tex., Nov. 4.—Another case of extreme carelessness has come to light here, in which a negro child lost its life by fire. A negro family all went away from home and left a 4-year-old girl alone in the house. In their absence the child's clothing caught fire and she was burned to death.

Five Chinese Arrested.

DALLAS, Nov. 2.—Five Chinese have been arrested in Dallas on affidavit made by J. H. Jenkins, United States Chinese inspector, charging violation of the Chinese exclusion act, which requires them to take out registration papers, failure to do so being punishable by imprisonment and deportation.

Paytrain Wrecked Near Tabor.

ALPINE, Tex., Nov. 2.—The Southern Pacific paytrain was wrecked near Tabor, six miles east of here. The engine guard, paycar and caboose all went into the ditch. Fireman Berr was killed and Engineer Luff badly scalded. No cause for the wreck is assigned.

Killing at Little Rock.

LITTLE ROCK, Nov. 2.—Dr. John I. Hancock, a prominent physician, was shot and fatally wounded by W. L. Brown at 12:30 Friday morning. Brown alleges that Hancock debauched his wife.

To Eject Intruders.

SOUTH MCALESTER, I. T., Nov. 4.—An act was passed by the Choctaw council appropriating $5000 for the removal of intruders from the nation.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mrs. John R. Lunsford, while delirious, jumped from the second story of the Aiken hospital at Paris, Tex. She died from her injuries.

Jake Pritcher's gin was destroyed by fire at Mexia, Tex.

Corn is being shipped from Troy, Tex., to Cuba.

Mexia, Tex., has received over 15,000 bales of cotton this season.

A movement is on foot to consolidate the circuses of Barnum & Bailey and Sells Bros.

Mrs. John Helm was fatally stabbed at Palestine, Tex., by a negro employe. No cause. The negro is at large.

In a fight between Deputy Marshal Jim Thompson and Poley Impson near Coalgate, I. T., the latter was killed. It resulted over the arrest of Impson by Thompson for the murder of Dave Bohannon some time ago.

Will Joiner shot and killed Will Griffith near Giddings, Tex.

Burglars robbed the postoffice at Overton, Tex., of a small sum.

Motion for a new trial has been made in the care of Frank Ware at Fort Worth, Tex.

Governor Culberson offers $250 reward for the arrest of John W. Fletcher who killed John Drake in Hopkins county last October.

Emery Chester, who is charged with the murder of G. F. Wilson near Montgomery, Tex., has surrendered to the sheriff at that place.

The silver advocates claim 250 of the Democratic weekly newspapers of Texas are for free silver.

Voters of Coryell county, Texas, voted against the building of a new courthouse.

The Presbyterian synod of Texas will buy the late Rev. Dr. A. P. Smith's library at Dallas, and present it to Austin college at Sherman, Tex.

Louis Wagner, dealer in men's clothing at Taylor, Tex., with a branch store at Bartlett, made a deed of trust.

Henry Kilbrem was accidentally killed while working with a well augur at Tiago, Tex.

Mrs. Rosa Black, wife of M. J. Black, whom Frank Ware was sent to the penitentiary for killing at Fort Worth, and who was alleged to have been mixed up in the affair, has been released.

"THE DEVIL HATES SIN."

Interesting Contribution from the Federal Cross Roads Anent this Positive Declaration of the Champion of Bailey and Democracy.

[BY DR. DUDLEY.]

According to Tom Perkins and the Wylie Rustler, and there is no discount on this source of authority, "the devil hates sin." Well, this is a brand splinter new doctrine, but I reckon it's so. Tom knows just whereof he affirms, for he has his family record on his table and the populists can't well get behind the returns. Populists should not forget to remember the fact that "the devil does hate sin" contains one of the cardinal principles interwoven in the fabric of Tom Perkin's democracy. Tom is not like Eli Perkins, who can not tell the truth, he is a reliable man and like the devil he too "hates sin" and populists may therefore confidently rely upon him. I know Tom Perkins myself and therefore know just whereof I affirm. Of course I don't aim at this writing to enter into an elaborate line of argumentations to prove that his Satanic Majesty is a greater enemy to sin than even Cleveland, but this is a studied opinion I hold as sacred to me as democracy is to Tom Perkins. Tom Perkins is nobody's fool, nor is his journalistic wisdom and sagacity the only characteristics of greatness possessed by him; far from it, there is a deep vein of the logical thought lulled in his brilliant brain which slightly crops out in the statement that "The Democrat hates Bailey worse than the Devil hates Sin." I am certain that Tom Perkins knows just what he is talking about. Tom is a living interpretor and a learned expositor of all the potent factors in democratic politics, and he ought, therefore, be accepted by all populists, at least the doubtful ten per cent, as an oracle on the subject. Tom's statement of the side of sin the devil is on will have the effect to popularize the third term for Cleveland, and will certainly knock Mills out of the ring and send Bailey to the U. S. senate. This populists may depend upon. Right here, Dr. Dudley will stand up and be counted. This is a heavy blow to Sam Hampton and D. E. Lyday, but God knows I can't help it. I did not intend by this ramification to get so far away from the subject in hand, so with your permission I will gladly return to the devil to ascertain if possible in the light of all the known facts his relation to the world's vain hope of reform to come through the wild vagaries of populism. The point I most desire to reach is the exact harmony between Tom Perkin's teaching and that of the apostle Paul. Paul says, "Be sober, be vigilant: because your adversary, the devil, as a roaring lion walketh about seeking whom he may devour." From what Paul says here and what Perkins says in THE WYLIE RUSTLER I am led to inquire:

(1) Who the devil is he? and (2) Where the devil is he going? and (3) what the devil he is roaring about? Under these logical heads will be found the issues of life and death—life to democracy and death to populism, for "the devil hates sin."

In pursuance of this order of the discussion, FIRST, he is going to Washington to effect a sale of $100,000,000 more bonds—because "the devil hates sin;" SECOND, as to what the devil he is roaring about, its the sub-lease of alarm of the great danger of legal tender money to national bankers, should populists get into power because "the devil hates sin;" THIRD, as to who the devil, he is, is a question of absorbing interest, and in the order of the discussion, should have come first, but my respect for Tom Perkins and the Bible rule for keeping "the best of the wine for the last of the feast" it is reserved to say here that the devil is a democrat, because he "hates sin." And for the same reason Tom Perkins is also a democrat, because Tom hates sin too.

Neither Tom nor his running mate will allow Bailey abused, hence the "roaring" because they both hate sin. My heart goes out in floods of sympathy for the poor, deluded Thompson, Hampton and Lyday, for "the devil hates sin." Let us pray. Selah.

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LOCAL NEWS.

John Doyle began his school at Long Neck monday.

Eugene Burch, of wylie, visited here this week.

A great many of the country district schools opened monday.

J. B. Ray, of Bates, was in the city Friday.

Miss Mary Kennedy of Weston was in McKinney last week.

Miss Dovie Caraway of Weston was in McKinney Saturday.

Mr. T. C. Perry and little son Lynn were quite sick last week.

D. Goodin has required the doctor's aid recently in a tussle with a stubborn spell of fever.

Mrs. L. W. Mayhew and little son, Russell, are both sick with fever.

Mrs. V. S. McKinney and Miss Lola Wade attended the fair Saturday.

Mesdames H. and F. Douglas of Weston shopped in McKinney last week.

Miss Mattie Hatcher of Grayson county is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dehoney.

G. J. S. Walker of Smith county spent Sunday with his son George Walker in this city.

Mrs. J. B. Stiteler spent Sunday with her mother Mrs. Woods in Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Davis and daughter, Miss Josie, attended the fair Saturday.

W. A. Parker and sister, Miss Bettie, visited Wylie friends Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Florence Chambers, of Chambersville, shopped in McKinney one day last week.

Bowlby school, W. A. Parker teacher, will begin its 1895-96 session monday.

W. T. Newsome, of Lucas, was in the city monday and left us an order for some job printing.

A. G. Wilson of Parker was in McKinney recently and favored The Democrat with one year's subscription.

Miss Nora Barron, who is attending school in Sherman, visited in McKinney Saturday and Sunday.

Messrs Will Cobb and Will Pennington, McKinney photographers, were doing Wylie Saturday.

Business men and clerks should buy one of Thompson Bros.' meal tickets, good for 21 meals for only $3. Just the thing when you are in a hurry.

Mrs. Doolin, who has been visiting Mrs. Stiteler in this city and Mrs. Kerr of Vineland left Friday for her home in Quanah.

Miss Eula Plemmons, music teacher in Plano public schools, visited her parents in this city Wednesday and Thursday.

J. E. Kirby, one of THE DEMOCRAT'S Merit subscribers, was a pleasant caller on us Saturday.

Miss Nova Estes left last week for Van Alstyne where she will attend school.

Miss Sallie Means, of Sherman, who has been visiting the family of J. H. Orenduff in this city, returned home Sunday.

willie wilmeth left recently for Grayson county where he will teach school during the coming term.

Miss Ida Cummins, manager of the Mississippi Store's millinery department, resumed her position Saturday after a week's sickness.

Many of Collin county's best farmers were in attendance upon the Central populist club's meeting in this city Saturday.

W. E. Morris and sisters, Misses Jesse and Ruby, left Saturday for their home in Decatur after a pleasant visit to relatives in this city.

Claude Wilmeth will soon begin the erection of a neat cottage on the site of his residence lately burned in northwest McKinney.

Mrs. Giles Houston and little daughter, Mary, went to Gainesville Saturday to attend the bedside of a sick nephew.

Mrs. Reese, who recently visited her cousin Miss Lula Faires in this city, was married Tuesday evening of last week to Mr. Albert Reagan in Dallas.

Mrs. John Harper and children left last week for their home in El Paso, after a two weeks' visit to Mrs. Harper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Adamson, in this city.

County Supt. Shepherd attended opening day of the Upper Rowlett school monday. Prof. G. W. Scoggins is the teacher in charge.

Dr. C. F. Hays and Tommie Wright of Climax left Monday for Memphis, Tennessee where they will spend four months taking lectures. They are both young men of sterling worth and we predict for them success in their chosen profession.

J. A. Howard, an ex-McKinneyite but late of San Diego, California, is in the city and will probably make Texas his home again. He is a brother of our popular fellow townsman Dick Howard.

Commissioner J. T. Howard of Farmersville reported to the Central Populist club at its meeting here Saturday. Mr. Howard has made a good record on our county board and is a faithful servant of his constituency.

V. C. Coleman's show window rivals an oriental bazaar in beauty and artistic display. Volney is an energetic young jeweler and delights in pleasing the eyes as well as rendering the best service to his customers.

Charlie Piner, who has been employed as delivery boy for W. W. McDowell's grocery establishment, left Monday for Paris where he has accepted a position in a dry goods store.

R. E. Chapman, son of S. A. Chapman, deceased, of Farmersville, gave us a call Saturday last. Mr. Chapman is a young democrat but was liberal enough to renew for THE DEMOCRAT up to 1897. He is an intelligent, pleasant young man whom we love to meet.

R. S. Donaldson called to see us last Saturday and renewed for THE DEMOCRAT up to 1897. We regret to learn that he will leave to make his home at Greenville but trust that his future will be filled with success.

Attend the concert this evening at the opera house. Rare entertainment for you, besides you will be extending a helping hand to the McKinney Collegiate Institute which merits much from you and our city for the part it is playing in our educational welfare.

MRS. A. M. Chewning, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pyne, near Lebanon, left last week for her home in Havensville Kansas. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Cora Pyne, who will spend the winter in the north and take a course in music.

CONCERT.

The Schubert Quartette of Chicago will give its famous concert in the Opera House Nov. 7th., net proceeds to go to the repairing of the McKinney Collegiate Institute building.

Admission, Adults 50cts; children under 13 years of age 25cts.

"I consulted with Debs' council when the case was before the supreme court and I know that Debs is suffering a penalty that the constitution does not warrant. A lawful conviction must be an indictment and trial by jury A franker, grosser and more bitter piece of injustice never blotted the pages of our judiciary."—Senator Voorhees.

HOUSTON & TEXAS CENTRAL RAILROAD SPECIAL RATES.

FOR THE COTTON STATES INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION, to be held at Atlanta Sept. 18, , 18th to Dec. 31st, 1895, the following rates will be in effect:

FOR LONG LIMIT TICKETS, $37.30 from stations Houston to Denison, Ft. Worth and Elgin, inclusive. Austin, $38 95. Tickets on sale Sept. 3rd and 10th, and from Sept 13th to Dec. 13th, 1895, inclusive Good until Jan. 7th, 1896.

FOR TWENTY DAY TICKETS, Houston to Denison, Fort Worth and Elgin, inclusive, $27.35. Austin, $28.55. Tickets on sale Sept. 14th to Dec. 13th, 1895 inclusive. Good twenty days.

FOR TEN DAY TICKETS, Houston to Denison, Fort Worth and Elgin, inclusive, $18.80. Austin, $19 55. Tickets on sale Sept. 16th, 28th; Oct. 6th, 18th, 30th; Nov. 5th, 15th, 25th, and Dec. 5th and 15th, 1895. Good ten days.

TEXAS STATE FAIR AND DALLAS EXPOSITION And Attractions on the Side too numerous to mention at Dallas, Texas, October 15th to November 3rd, 1895, inclusive. Tickets from all H. & T. C. points will be on sale Oct. 18th to, Nov. 3rd. good until Nov. 5th, 1895, inclusive, for return, at rate of ONE FARE for Round Trip.

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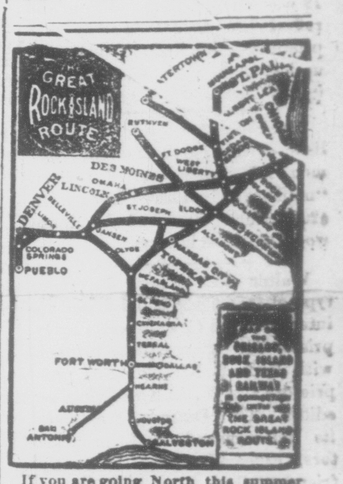

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THE DEMOCRAT.

F. C. THOMPSON,
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.
WALTER B. WILSON.
LOCAL EDITOR.

THURSDAY, NOV. 7, 1895.

Several precincts in Grayson county will vote on local option.

The democrats needed a Pete Turney in Kentucky.

The local campaigns are being inaugurated in whispers.

In the race for success the Dallas state fair came out ahead.

Gentlemen, suppose we keep our old hats. It is unhealthy to burn hats in "off" years.

We are sorry to note the burning of the Plano Star office and we sincerely sympathize with Editor Ridout.

We suggest that Corbett and Fitzsimmons fight it out before the next national democratic convention

Sherman will issue $25,000 worth of bonds. It takes bonds to fill up holes made by G. O. P. administrations.

We offered the Gazette our rooster yesterday which he was about to accept but up to going to press he has not called for it.

It is claimed that a democrat up north choked to death by swallowing a small dose of consistency.

We get "sound currency" literature each week from New York state. The gold bugs are possibly laboring under the mistake that we belong to the G. O. P.

Farmersville prohibition citizens held a mass meeting and passed resolutions condemning violations of the local option law and offered rewards for convictions.

The Farm and Ranch of Oct. 19 was an excellent edition and reflects credit on its worthy proprietors. We had a notice set up last week but our forms got "pied" during the big fire.

The Cincinnati Enquirer publishes a list of rich American women who have married foreign "noblemen." There have been $200,000,000 captured by these worthless title bearers.

Walter Kinsolving, a former typo of this city, has purchased an interest in the Greenwood Enterprise. The paper will be printed with Eads & Kinsolving as proprietors and W. A. Kinsolving as editor. THE DEMOCRAT extends its well wishes to both proprietors, especially to our young friend Walter.

Hon. T. M. Patterson, editor of the Denver Rocky Mountain News, is a fearless opponent of thieving corporations, especially those which are robbing the tax payers of Denver. As a result the Denver Tramway company swore out a criminal libel against him and at the same time filed a suit for $200,000 damages against the News Printing company. Mr. Patterson of course gave bond and is still showing up the rottenness of Denver politics as conducted by the G. O. P's. Mr. Patterson, it will be remembered, was a member of the last national democratic convention who offered the free coinage amendment which was voted down. He afterwards refused to support the democratic ticket. We need more Pattersons.

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KING GOLD WINS.

Struggling Reformers go Down in Defeat.

Tuesday's elections was a landslide in favor of the republicans in all the states except Mississippi and Virginia which the democrats carried with practically no opposition. The results stand about as follows:

New York republican, plurality 65,000.

Pennsylvania republican, plurality 170,000.

Ohio republican, plurality 75,000.

Iowa, plurality 60,000.

Kansas, plurality 30,000.

Maryland, plurality 19,000.

Nebraska, republican plurality 1,000,

Utah, republican plurality 1,000.

Colorado, county elections mixed with republican and populist victories.

Massachusetts, republican plurality 40,000.

New Jersey, republican plurality 26,000.

Kentucky, republican plurality 10,000.

Mississppi, democratic plurality 30,000.

Virginia, democratic plurality 25,000.

It is a noticeable fact that the populist vote is not reported by the associated press dispatches up to date except in Ohio where Coxey, candidate for governor, run behind the populist ticket in that state 15,000.

In the dispatches from Virginia we are informed that there was much apathy and only a light vote, also that the negroes generally voted the democratic ticket.

In Mississippi both the populist and the democratic platforms had a free silver plank with free silver candidates thereon. only one-half the registered vote of the state was polled, consequently the democratic ticket was elected without any practical opposition.

One of the strangest happenings perhaps is in Nebraska where there were two democratic tickets, one wing favoring free silver and the other "sound" money or the gold standard. The "sound" money wing polled about four-fifths of the entire democratic party vote of the state.

In Kentucky the democrats put out a Cleveland "sound" money platform with a free silver candidate for governor on it, also Senator Blackburn ran on the platform for United States senator. Both have been defeated.

From meager returns we learn that the populist vote has increased in every state except in Ohio, Mississippi and Virginia.

Taken as a whole it is a victory for goldbugism which if not checked by the uniting of the various oppositions this country will continue to go down before the storm of spoliation and plunder. To our free silver democrat friends we extend our sympathy and hope they can now realize the condition of populists who have struggled on without ceasing under repeated stings of defeat while many of them (free silver democrats) delighted to ridicule us. Cheer up boys, let us get together and strike again in 1896.

FREE MEDICAL REFERENCE BOOK (64 pages) for men and women who are afflicted with any form of private disease peculiar to their sex. errors of youth, contagious diseases, female troubles, etc., etc.

Send 2 two cent stamps to pay postage, to the leading specialists and physicians in this country. Dr HATHAWAY & CO., 129½ West Commerce Street. San Antonio, Texas.

Thompson Bros. want your patronage. They set good meals.

Report of Petersburg School.

Following is the report of all pupils who were perfect in punctuality and attendance during the month of October:

FIRST GRADE.

James Furr. Mattie Webb
Britt Webb. Bettie Worsham
Ocie Walker. Marvin Bell.

SECOND GRADE.

Katie Bush, Blanche Furr, Mary Walker, Ruth Crowder, Lottie Gerrish.

THIRD GRADE.

Jesse Moore, May Bell Stags, Anna Forsyth, Benton Ford.

FOURTH GRADE.

Otho Galloway, Hattie Webb, Olive Cantrell, Eula Crouch, Fannie Bush, Chloe Crouch, Minnie Crowder, Minnie Ford, Havens Gains, Maggie Worsham.

FIFTH GRADE.

Macon Porter, Mack Webb, Fred Cox, Ben Ragsdale, Marshall Pagditt, Johnnie Worsham, Mahala Kepsel, Walter Wilson.

SIXTH GRADE.

Ida Campbell, Mabel Frost, Maggie Campbell, Glennie Jones, Lonnie Furr, Zula Wilson, Sister Bingham, Lottie Ragsdale, Edna Padgitt, Terry Forsythe, Myrtie Hedgecoxe, Elsie Williams, Maggie Furr, Mollie Walker, Charlie Coffey.

SEVENTH GRADE.

Clarence Ragsdale, Mattie Massie, Glennie Jones, Anna Spencer, Pearl Eller, Lelia Jones, Carrie Ault.

EIGHTH GRADE.

C. C. Cross, Principal.
Mrs. Eva Cross, Assistant.

Makes Another Grand Gift.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—John D. Rockefeller's munificent gift of $2,000,000 to the University of Chicago is almost the sole topic of conversation at the university. The faculty was not prepared for the gift and had made no plans for the outlay of the sum. A school of medicine and a school of law may be the outcome.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

When you call for your mail call for The Democrat or else the postmaster may fail to give you your paper.

Miss Consuelo Vanderbilt, the bride whose name is upon the lips of the greater portion of two continents, is said to be "worth her weight in diamonds"—financially of course—for, would a girl mentally and morally "worth her weight in diamonds" sell herself, or rather allow herself to be sold for a title? Is the "brilliant match" which is the envy of the four hundred and many others outside that mercenary realm, a true marriage? Is it the divine union of lives which God ordained to further the happiness of his children? 'Tis greatly to be feared that all the happiness to be derived from the marriage of Miss Vanderbilt and the Duke of Marlborough will not balance the weight of a piece of chamois skin large enough to envelop a single diamond which will ornament the finger of the bride, unless beneath the pomp and splendor of wealth there burns a fire which illuminates their two hearts with holy love.

The U. S. Gov't Reports
show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

Sanitarium Destroyed.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 4.—The Oak Ridge sanitarium at Green Spring, O., a 4-story brick structure, was destroyed by fire yesterday. The 40 guests, most of whom were invalids, all escaped, many of them having to be carried from the building. The loss will be in the neighborhood of $40,000, with an insurance of $10,000.

Half a Village Destroyed.

CORNWALL, Eng., Nov. 4.—Half the village of Lancaster, a short distance from this place, was wiped out of existence by fire yesterday. The loss included all the hotels, stores and many private residences.

HOLMES SEEMS UNDISTURBED.

Though Convicted of Murder He Is Cool and Unmoved.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 4.—H. H. Holmes, the convicted murderer of Benjamin F. Peitzel, spent a quiet day in his cell in Moyamensing prison Sunday. He does not evince in the slightest any outward signs of breaking down With death actually before him now, he is the same cool and callous Holmes.

The prison regulations prevents any one from interviewing him, but a message was sent out that he sleeps well and was feeling comfortable and still confident his innocence will yet be established. Extra care has been taken that the man shall not frustrate the efforts of the prosecution by committing suicide. A double guard has been placed on his cell and will remain there until he has paid the penalty of his crime. He is still in the untried department, but as soon as the death sentence is pronounced he will be taken to a cell in "Murderers Row."

THE CASES QUASHED.

Corbett and Fitzsimmons Have Agreed to Leave Arkansas.

LITTLE ROCK, Nov. 4.—The case of the state against Fitzsimmons and Julian was again continued Saturday morning till evening. Attorney General Kinsworthy said an agreement had been reached with the prisoners and chances were the matter would be disposed of in the afternoon without troubling the court.

The cases against Fitzsimmons and Julian and Corbett and Brady were dismissed by the court in the afternoon after their agreement to leave the state as soon as possible. The restraining order is still in force and Chancellor Martin told the men if they violated it and fought anywhere in the state they would get not less than two years in jail.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Central Populist Club.

A very fair attendance of committeemen were present Saturday Nov. 2, upon the special meeting of the Central populist club held in McKinney. The club is active and held an interesting session.

It adjourned to meet in Farmersville at 1 p. m. Saturday the 23rd inst.

Are you on the finance committee? If you are don't fail to make some kind of a report at this Farmersville meeting.

Are you a populist and concorned for your party's welfare? If you are, attend this Farmersville meeting whether you are a member of the club or not. It will do you good.

RELIGOUS.

Eld. John M. McKinney will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at Wilmeth church.

The Young People's Christian Endeavor Society will give public exercises Sunday Nov. 17th, beginning at 7:15 p. m.

Rev. J. A. Wyatt of Farmersville occupied the Methodist pulpit in this city Sunday evening.

Sunday at 11 o'clock Rev. J. L. Morris preached his last morning sermon for this conference year at the M. E. church South in McKinney. His text was taken from Isai 46:4 and the services were very impressive. This ended Rev. Morris' second year as pastor of the McKinney charge, and during his residence in our city both he and his estimable lady have firmly implanted themselves in the good will of all and it certainly would be gratifying news to his flock to learn of Brother Morris' return for another year.

Would be covered up with groceries if we didn't keep them going lively.

We calculate upon keeping every old customer and getting new ones every week and order stock accordingly.

People seem to want everything we buy but that's the reason we buy it.

Groceries well bought are half sold and more too in our case. We have the kinds and qualities people want, still prices must suit or you would not buy.

We are stocked to suit all and in passing will mention our new crop Louisiana syrup and maple syrup which cannot be beat.

Very Respectfully,

T. J. MELTON.

DYEING & CLEANING
THAT IS PERFECT.
Colors to Suit and Guaranteed FAST.
NO RUBBING OFF.
Ladies' Fine Goods, Gent's Clothing Cleaned, Dyed, Repaired, Pressed.
The Best Work in the State or your Money Back.
Prices Given. Express Paid One Way.
LEACHMAN'S
Dallas Steam Laundry & Dye Works,
DALLAS, TEXAS.

Princeton Pick-ups.

November 4th, '95.

Editor Democrat:

Rev. Rogers filled his last appointment this conference year at this place Sunday.

James Morrell was summoned to the home of his relative Charles Gray, who died from the rupture of a blood vessel caused by throwing violently into a pecan tree last Tuesday west of McKinney.

Mrs. S. C. Bass, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lowry, returned to her home in Greenville Thursday.

Mr. Dan Efird and family have moved from Millican neighborhood to Princeton.

W. H. Miller sold and delivered f. o. b. the cars at Princeton 1800 bushels shelled corn last week.

J. P. McGraw, a resident of Culleoka, was married last week to Miss Minnie L. Sperry of McKinney. The young couple will go to housekeeping near St. Paul.

D. W. Bagwill and family have moved from Viney Grove district to J. E. Wilson's farm two miles west of this village.

G. W. Cole made a business trip to Farmersville Thursday.

The boarding "boss" of the section house and the "boss" of the railroad had a misunderstanding last week wherefore the party of the first part grew angry and took leave of his charge and moved to McKinney and embarked in the lunch stand business and now the section workmen are having to batch until a new "keeper" arrives.

The great stacks of wood that have so long detracted from the looks of our village and caused so much comment have at last been hauled and shipped away. Now if the owners would move away all culled timber on the railroad right of-way, some of which has been there for several years, Princeton would impress the passer-by as clean and neat and progressive.

S. H. Cole did some surveying for W. C. Cloyd Friday. Mr. Cloyd has sold part of his farm to his father H. C. Cloyd.

Dr. Hays, located at Climax, leaves Monday to attend lectures. Tom Wright went with him and entered school to study medicine.

Joe Evans and Allen Dunn left Saturday for a week's hunting in the Nation.

The report of Princeton Sunday school for November 3rd showed an attendance of 76 scholars and five teachers and good interest manifested.

Mr. and Mrs. Gavin's baby is seriously sick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McPherson and daughters of Farmersville spent Saturday and Sunday with friends near Princeton.

J. D Cottrell, an attorney from Plano, was in our village Monday attending to some legal business.

Sister Grove Gems.

[DELAYED.]

Sister Grove, Oct. 26, 1895.

Crops will soon be gathered and then the pigs will begin to squeal.

Mrs. Horton is very sick at this writing; also Mrs. Delay.

Mr. John House departed this life on the 23rd inst. He had suffered quite a while with lung trouble.

Mr. Harper of Merit mingled with us recently. Ed got left when he went to McKinney.

Miss Julia Scroggins and brother visited at H. C. Horton's Sunday.

There is a little girl stranger at Mr. D. B. Toombs, also at Mr. E. Wrights.

We had quite an interesting entertainment, in the way of a show, at the school house Thursday night.

Our vocalist teacher is still doing good work. EUGENIA.

The old reliable Nickle Store is still in the ring

Take This In!

I am going to interest you for awhile and will begin to-day.

I Am Going to Make a Change!

In my grocery business and to clear my stock out

I Am Going to Make You Prices!

That nobody can meet. To do this quick and satisfactory I know what it will take and have prepared to meet your expectations. I have the goods and you have a chance to buy them at

Figures too Low to Mention.

Don't take this statement for it, but see for yourself. "Facts not Fakes." I have one of the best stocks in town and

You Should Not Fail to Investigate It.

The place just west of the Foote House. Stock all fresh. No old goods and a complete assortment in every line. You can consider one thing and that is I am going to sell these goods. If you don't believe it you miss something.

Respectfully,

W. W. McDOWELL.

HEART DISEASE, like many other ailments when they have taken hold of the system, never gets better of its own accord, but ***Constantly grows worse.*** There are thousands who know they have a defective heart, but will not admit the fact. They don't want their friends to worry, and ***Don't know what to take for it,*** as they have been told time and again that heart disease was incurable. Such was the case of Mr. Silas Farley of Dyesville, Ohio who writes June 19, 1894, as follows:

"I had heart disease for 23 years, my heart hurting me almost continually. The first 15 years I doctored all the time, trying several physicians and remedies, until my last doctor told me it was only a question of time as I could not be cured. I gradually grew worse, very weak, and completely discouraged, until I lived, propped half up in bed, because I ***couldn't lie down*** nor sit up. Thinking my time had come I told my family what I wanted done when I was gone. But on the first day of March on the recommendation of Mrs. Fannie Jones, of Anderson, Ind., I commenced taking ***Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart*** and wonderful to tell, in ten days I was working at light work and on March 19 commenced framing a barn, which is heavy work, and I hav'nt lost a day since. I am 58 years old, 6 ft. 4½ inches and weigh 250lbs. ***I believe I am fully cured,*** and I am now only anxious that everyone shall know of your wonderful remedies."

Dyesville, Ohio. SILAS FARLEY.

Dr. Miles Heart Cure is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at $1, 6 bottles for $5, or it will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure
Restores Health

FROM BOWLBY.

November 4, 1895.

Charley Gray died very suddenly last Wednesday morning at 3 o'clock, after only fourteen hours sickness. His remains were sent to his parents at Newport, Tennessee.

Mrs. Sam Hunter has been sick but is some better.

Large attendance at Sunday school and prayer meeting Sunday.

Donaldson Bros. and families left for Greenville, where they will make their future home.

A social was given at the residence of Mr. Clint Huffman Friday night.

Mrs. Martha Watson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. G. A. Johnson's family.

Mrs. C. C. Crutchins is visiting relatives near Celina.

Miss Bell Snider spent Saturday night with friends at Boiso' Arc.

We are sorry to learn that Rev. Caskey of Blue Ridge will not be able to fill his appointment at this place Saturday night on account of sickness.

Mrs. S. O. Crutcher of Alvarado, Texas, is visiting relatives in our community.

Landon Duncan from near Pilot Point has been a welcome visitor in our midst the past week.

Those from our community who attended the Dallas fair are, Dee Hickey, Blix Bass and George Hand and France Griffin, Jr.

We regretted to hear of your loss in the recent fire but was truly glad to get the regular issue of the faithful old Democrat. CENTRAL.

Lebanon Siftings.

Lebanon, Nov. 4.

Editor Democrat:

Some of our farmers are re-sowing their wheat owing to its having perished from the continued drouth.

The free school commenced at Lebanon to-day.

W. S. Collinsworth went to Dallas to buy a corn sheller last week.

Henry Kirkpatrick went to Gainesville yesterday as a witness in court.

C. S. Spencer will move back to old Collin in a few days. He resides in Limestone county.

Mrs. Emily Young visited her mother, Mrs. Teel, last Sunday.

People are gathering their crops very rapidly.

John Brown is erecting a nice house on his place north of Bethany.

BIMET.

Wilson's famous restaurant is revived. Same old stand. Thompson Bros. proprietors.

The finest and cheapest line of cutlery ever brought to McKinney at P. E. Denton's, east side square.

The corner-stone of the Texas Woman's Building was laid by Mrs. J. T. Trezevant at the state fair grounds last Saturday. The impressive and interesting program prepared for the occasion was enjoyed by fully a thousand auditors. The building will be located near the main entrance of the fair grounds and when completed will have cost $1000. The plans were suggested by Miss Jennie Arnold of Chicago. May the use and enjoyment of the building repay the royal spirits whose zeal and integrity have caused its erection.

A California chemist has robbed Castor Oil of its bad taste. LAXOL is its name.

We learn from a brother near Merit that some have complained about the advertising in The Democrat. If such gentlemen would try to run a local paper, the current expense of which is $150 per month, they will soon learn that they will need all the advertising, job printing and subscription in sight and then have to borrow (as the proprietor of this paper has done this summer) to keep up.

If such gentlemen still persist in so unjustly criticising a paper which has stood by them in all the storms of the past, we hope they will pay us and quit. We are fighting for principles and we dislike to deal with the ungrateful We have eight democratic papers in the county and The Democrat is the only populist paper. If you don't like it why just come up and pay us and quit.

New restaurant, Thompson Bros., Wilson's old stand.

Many Indictment Against Lewis.

DAYTON, O., Nov. 4.—Among the indictments by the grand jury are 28 returned against Zachary T. Lewis, the bond forger, charging forgery of bonds negotiated with banks here. The forged bonds purport to be genuine paper, issued by Butler, Adams and Miami counties and by the board of education of Tippecanoe.

Great Reductions On all Millinery From This date Until January 1st, 1896.

Millinery
...of...
Every Description.

New and Stylish Goods.

My Stock Must be Reduced And in Order To do this I will make Prices Extremely low.

Must be Sold at a Sacrifice.

If you will favor me with a call you can readily see that my assertions are correct.

My stock must be reduced and from this date until January 1st 1896

I will Make Prices
That Cannot Be Duplicated
In North Texas.

So now is the time to buy your

Millinery at Half Price

Respectfully,

Mrs. W. E. Marshall

Over M. Aron & Co's Store.

The Tennessee Store

...Is Clearing Off...

OVERCOATS!

♣ ♥ ♣

AT

Prices to Make Them Go At Once.

ANY $12.50 OVERCOATS IN THE HOUSE AT						$7.00
ANY $10.00	"	"	"	"	"	$5.75
ANY $8.00	"	"	"	"	"	$5.00
ANY $7.50	"	"	"	"	"	$4.50
ANY $7.00	"	"	"	"	"	$4.00
ANY $5.00	"	"	"	"	"	$3.00
ANY $4.00	"	"	"	"	"	$2.50

Don't put off Buying These Goods as they will not be in stock at these prices long!

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COME AT ONCE!

TENNESSEE STORE.

SOUTH SIDE SQUARE.

McKinney .. .. Texas.

For years Wilson's restaurant was the most popular eating house in North Texas. Thompson Bros., the new proprietors propose to keep it up to its former high standard.

HEADQUARTERS FOR OLD SANTA—Nickle Store

Large and small window glass—all sizes—at City Drug Store.

Cities which contemplate putting in water works, electric light plants, should not allow private parties to own and control them. In every city where private parties own and control these public institutions the people are being robbed.

LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Ona Cameron has been on the sick list recently.

A great many "sick" people were in the city last Monday.

Mr. Fair, of Terrell, attended distfict court here last week.

Miss May Flippen, of Bloomdale, was in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Smith of Princeton are in McKinney this week.

Steve Cockerell and family moved this week to Limestone county.

Dr. Rucker of Altoga went to Richardson yesterday.

J. H. Sneed was in Allen on business yesterday.

Jim Warden is now delivery boy for W. W. McDowell.

W. J. Adams has our thanks for cash on two subscriptions to The Democrat.

T. M. Hinsley will teach the Mississippi school the coming term which begins next Monday.

Ollie Stiff is now meeting his friends at C. C. Provine & Co.'s where he has lately accepted a position.

Mr. Jordon Stokes is now with the Kentucky Store.

G. W. Norvell is now a knight of the grip delivering goods for the Chicago portrait company. Mr. Norvell has leased his gallery in this city to Mr. J. N. Caradine of Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rucker are spending a few days with relatives north of McKinney. For a couple of years Mrs. Rucker's health has been on the decline but her many friends will be glad to learn that she is somewhat improved at the present.

We notice that in several parts of the city that the "bad boys" are in the habit of placing obstructions across the public streets. This is very annoying to teamsters and we would advise parents to control their boys. The acts of children are very fair indications of the character of the parents.

Deputy John Campbell returned yesterday from a trip south of Rusk where he went after one Pierce, who is wanted here to answer two indictments for forgery and attempt to pass forged instruments. Pierce, whose parents reside in this county, was lately sentenced to two years in the penitentiary from Grayson county and Deputy Campbell brought him back in his prison garb to stand trial at this session of the district court.

Dr. Wylie assisted by Drs. Webb, Largent, Becton and Bryant performed a very delicate surgical operation on Simon, the 19-year-old son of B. F. King in this city yesterday. The operation was a hip-joint amputation of one of the young man's lower limbs, necessitated by a cancer of the bone and was very successful though the chances are against the patient's recovery.

McKinney presented a very lively appearance Monday (First Monday). The sidewalks were thronged with people both from the city and country, while the square was filled with corn and cotton wagons and all the available hitching room near the square was occupied with teams and trading stock. The fine balmy day made it an "ideal stray sale day" and our merchants were greatly benefitted thereby, while the myriads of lunch counters and hot temale venders were in ecstacies of glory.

Sore Throat. Any ordinary case may be cured in one night by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm as directed with each bottle. This medicine is also famous for its cures of rheumatism, lame back and deep-seated and muscular pains. For sale by City Drug Store.

A Thoughtful Subscriber.

Col. Duclos, an old friend of ours in our native state and a democrat, sends us $2 to renew his subscription to December 1, 1897. He writes as follows:

New Harmony, Ind., Oct. 28, 1895.

ED. DEMOCRAT:

We were extremely sorry to learn through the columns of The Democrat of your great loss by fire, but can admire your pluck in making your late issue so nearly on time after being so unfortunate as to have your office thus disastrously dealt with.

Being aware of the great loss and inconvenience to you by the calamity, we can but hope that it may not materially interfere with your business.

Sincerely, COL DUCLOS.

Dyspepsia Twenty-Five Years.

Mr. A. C. Sheats, Kingston, Ga. says, May 31st, 1895: "I Was troubled with Dyspepsia for twenty-five years, and could get no permanent relief from any treatment or medicine until I began the use of Kings Royal Germateur, some five years ago. It gave me great relief, and after the lapse of five years. I can recommend it as the best medicine I know of for Indigestion and Dyspepsia." This case is but one out of thousands which prove that for Indigestion, Dyspepsia, and all stomach troubles, Germateur cures when all else fails. New package, large bottle, 108 doses, $1. For sale by Smith Bros.

Mrs. Capt. Stiff returned Friday from a visit to her grand-daughter, Mrs. Winnie Shipley, in Sherman.

Awarded
Highest Honors—World's Fair,
DR.
PRICE'S
CREAM
BAKING
POWDER
MOST PERFECT MADE.
A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.
40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

Criminal Court.

Monday morning Albert Russell of Blue Ridge plead guilty to burglary and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

Charlie Hubbard plead guilty to horsetheft and received a sentence of 5 years in the penitentiary.

Jim Naron was placed on trial for passing forged instruments. Trial by jury, found guilty and given 2 years and 8 months in the penitentiary, after which same Naron entered plea of guilty to similar charge and was given 2 years in the penitentiary.

Tuesday morning Herbert Buck was placed on trial charged with theft of cattle, found guilty and sentenced to 2 years in penitentiary. The state took up another case of theft of cattle to which same Buck plead guilty and was given 2 more years in penitentiary.

Monday morning considerable wrangling occurred when the Mixon case came up. The defense made motion to postpone trial owing to the fact that one of its leading council, M. H. Garnett, was absent engaged in the Gaines-Koch trial now in progress in Sherman. Judge Dillard overruled the motion and while bailiffs were securing jurors for this case Jim Humphries' case of assault to murder was called and the jury now has the same while the Mixon trial is in progress.

Judge Dillard has assessad a number of $25 fines on tardy witnesses since opening of court.

A relative of the editor writes to us from Indiana in which he says that apples are worth only 15 cents per bushel. You can only get about nine apples here for 15 cents. What is the matter? Read the populist theory on the subject of transportation.

For pure wines, brandies and whiskies for medicinal use go to Denton's pharmacy, east side square.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining unclaimed in the postoffice, at McKinney, Tex., Nov. 5, 1895, which, if unclaimed in two weeks, will be sent to the Dead Letter Office at Washington, D. C.

GENTLEMEN.

Broyles W C	Boles Wm
Callery L I 2	Carter W W
Cornbest D C	Duncan Robert
Edwards George	Ham T H
Henry James	Hannan John
Howard J A	Hoot Will
Hughes W R	Fugit Frank
McGregor C G	Massie Edd
Milstead Thomas	Moore H J
Haine George W	Richardson L T
Rodgers Will	Robinson J A
Stamp J A	Sharp Theodore
Scott Albert	Malden S J
Willis H	Williams A J

White C B,

LADIES.

Ann M	Beckham J G
Cartie Flora	Evans S K
Gier Martha	Hudson E L
Moore Sallie	Moore Abbie
Potts Lizzie	Spurgin Georgia
White Sue	White Jennie

Bailey J M

Persons calling for letters on this list must say "advertised" or they may fail to get them.

MRS. M. A. CAMERON,
Postmistress.

To get a pair of pants out of our factory that are not perfect in each detail is next to impossible. Of course, once in a while we'll miss a flaw. To cover such a possibility we put a printed guarantee in the pocket of each pair. If you find a fault that we missed you can get another pair or your money back Thus the BUCKSKIN BREECHES mean as near perfection in pants as is possible.

Gabe Lucas has purchased A. T. Wilson & Co.'s grocery store.

Mrs. W. B. Meek, who resides at Camptonville, Cal., says her daughter was for several years troubled at times with severe cramps in the stomach, and would be in such agony that it was necessary to call in a physician. Having read about Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy she concluded to try it. She found that it always gave prompt relief. It was seldom necessary to give the second dose. "It has not only saved us lots of worry and time," she says, "but also doctor bills. It is my opinion that every family should have a bottle of this remedy in the house." For sale by City Drug Store.

HOW TO MAKE MONEY.

Buy wall paper, paints, varnishes, glass and drugs and get your prescriptions filled at City Drug Store.

For pure, fresh drugs call on P. E. Denton, east side square.

A letter just received from Col. R. D. Allison states that he is in good health. He is at Gordonsville, Tenn.

SPECIAL

Low prices on wall paper, paints and window glass at City Drug Store.

Smith Bros. have made a specialty of prescriptions for the past ten years and keep the most complete and purest stock of prescription goods ever brought to McKinney.

Now is the time for chapped hands and lips, for a remedy go to Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barnett and Mrs Annie Shirley are boarding at Mrs Webb's, thu leaving the Throckmorton residence vacant.

Take your second hand goods to the old reliable second-hand store, second door east of postoffice.

John T. Nale downs them all in prices on housekeeping outfits, first door east of post office.

There seems to have gone out in some sections of the country the false impression that there is a great deal of extortion practiced in Atlanta, especially among the hotels. This is positively untrue. Hotel and restaurant accommodations are first class and at very reasonable rates.

WRAPS.

Have you Bought that Winter Wrap ?

If you have not bought you will make a great mistake if you don't see those beautiful wraps at the

KENTUCKY STORE

before you buy. They have the latest styles and any price Wrap that you may want from $1.50 up to $35.

Millinery. Millinery.

Our Millinery department is loaded with New Novelties and prices as low as any first-class house in North Texas. See us. We want Your trade. Yours for Bargains,

KENTUCKY STORE

MARRIAGE BELLS.

Licenses issued by County Clerk Walden since our last report:

W. I. Smith and Miss Estelle Johnson.

W. E. Bradley and Miss Lula Shows.

W. J. Lindsey and Miss Lizzie White.

G. J. Stice and L. Beverton.

D. W. Judd and E. B. Wood.

A. J. Culwell and Mrs. Sarah E. Boyer.

Ben Coffey and Maggie Chatman.

J. N. Towles and Alice Davis.

M. L. Curtis and Lillie Phalen.

J. E. Robinson and Ethel Tussey.

For Sale.

A first-class black land farm 10 miles east of McKinney; 102½ acres, 60 in cultivation, good improvements. Also my residence in North McKinney. See or address,

B. F. FERGUSON,
11-29. McKinney, Texas.

For table ware call one door east of post office where you can buy cheaper than any other place in North Texas.

HONOR ROLL.

The following gentlemen have our hearty thanks for financial favors extended in settling and renewing their subscriptions to The Democrat since our last report:

A. G. Wilson.
A. J. Cockrell.
E. King.
S. Moore.
S. A. Chapman.
R. S. Donaldson.
W. M. Moore.
J. M. Brooks.
W. R. Williford.
L. W. Mayhew.
W. J. Goodman.
L. R. Wallace.
Watus Pendergass.
C. H. Allen.
J. Tucker.
C. C. Buchanan.
M. N. Stroup.
F. Elliott.
B. C. Reynolds.
J. L. Bratton.
J. M. Gaither.
Wm. Patterson.
J. E. Kirby.
R. F. Hiser.
L. L. Miller.
H. W. Griffith.
A. J. Kemp.

ARE YOU BANKRUPT in health, constitution undermined by extravagance in eating, by disregarding the laws of nature, or physical capital all gone, if so,

NEVER DESPAIR

Tutt's Liver Pills will cure you. For sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, torpid liver, constipation, biliousness and all kindred diseases.

Tutt's Liver Pills
an absolute cure.

Orange Blossoms.

John N. Towles and Miss Alice Davis were united in marriage at 6 p. m. Sunday Nov. 3, in the presence of a large assemblage of relatives and friends at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. David Davis 3 miles south of McKinney. Eld. John M. McKinney officiated.

W. S. Maxwell and Miss Annie Rattan were married Thursday evening, Oct. 31st at the residence of the bride's mother in McKinney. Eld. John M. McKinney officiated.

Chas. Lutes and Miss Ida Huckalby were married in Van Alstyne to-day. Eld. S. W. Crutcher of this city officiated.

"Going into a decline." How often do we hear this expression. What does it mean? It means that people are losing flesh, growing thin, wasting.

The way to correct this condition is to improve the digestion. The condition arises from an inability to eat and digest food. In fact food does more harm than good because it ferments and putrifies in the stomach, developing poisonous substances which when absorbed cause various disorders.

What is required is that the stomach be made to perform its duties. The Shaker Digestive Cordial is a food already digested and a digester of food as well. It will make the stomach healthy. Get a book from the druggist and read about it

M. B. Rexrode, one door south of the Collin County bank will sell you an organ cheaper than any dealer in McKinney, quality considered, either the Chicago, Cottage, Packard, Miller or Sterling. Also will order a piano either of 22 different makes at a closer margin than any dealer in the county, cash or installment. Give him a call. All instruments guaranteed for five years.

John George of Altoga was in yesterday smiling over election returns.

Messrs. C. F. Moore & Co., Newberg, Ore., say: "We sell more of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy than all others put together, and it always gives satisfaction." Mr. J. F. Allen, Fox, Ore., says: "I believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be the best I have handled." Mr. H. Hitchcock, Columbus, Wash., says: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy sells well and is highly praised by all who use it." For sale by City Drug Store.

RAINFALL.

Rainfall for Oct., 1895, as kept by C. B. Moore at Ad Valorum, 6 miles north of McKinney.

	Inches
6	7/8
29	5/8
30	1/8
Total	1 5/8

Look out for colds at this season. Keep yourself well and strong by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great tonic and blood purifier.

Postoffice Receipts.

The receipts of the McKinney postoffice for October, 1895 are:

Gross receipts $756.13.

Remitted to U. S. treasury after deducting all expenses $556.13.

Money order department:

First 15 days $1731.15.

Second 15 days $1799.69.

Total $3530.84.

TO PHYSICIANS.

We manufacture all our tinctures and syrups from assayed drugs according to last revision of U. S. Pharmacopia and guarantee their purity and strength. Smith Bros. The leading Drnggists.

Mrs. M. A. Williams, of Dallas, will reside with her son-in-law, Mr. T. M. McDaniel, in this city during the winter.

Take your produce to W.D. Goostree's for the best market prices.

Nickel Store next door to post office

D. W. Judd and Miss E. B. Wood, two young people from near Murphy, successfully eluded parential objection and vigilance long enough Friday to have their matrimonial desires consummated in the county clerk's office in this city. Eld. G. Washington Taylor officiated.

This is the season for coughs and colds. We carry 30 kinds of remedies. Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

Prof. S. Horn of the McKinney Institute was a visitor at the state fair Saturday.

Signs of approaching holidays are already noticeable at the Nickle Store.

J. L. Davis, a prominent Rhea Mills citizen, was in the city last week. Glad to state that Mr. Davis' health is much improved.

A full line of pipes at Smith Bros. The leading Druggists,

Born—on the 4th inst to Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Johnson in this city a fine boy.

We will compound your prescriptions at any hour, night or day—night bell on front window. Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Stiff visited in Dallas last week.

Did you ever try our extracts of lemon and vanilla, they are our own manufacture and are absolutely pure? Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

Less White was in Weatherford last week on business.

My stock of groceries is complete and fresh. My prices cannot be beaten Give me a trial.—W. D Goostree.

A. C. Mallow, one of New Hope's best citizens, has our thanks for cash on subscription

Buy the Kingsbury piano.

We have quite a variety of combs, hair brushes, tooth brushes, tooth powder, face powder and other toilet articles. Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

Hugh Kirkpatrick is now clerking in W. P. Suttle's shoe store.

Go to M. B. Rexrode, one door south of the Collin County bank, and buy the best organ in the market.

Perfumes, tooth powders and all kinds of toilet articles at Denton's drug store.

Uncle Ed Bowen of the Nickle Store wants to see you.

Don't forget the Nickel Store.

Miss Josie Talkington is now with Mrs. Marshall's millinery department at M. Aron & Co's.

As to prices on same quality of goods no one can undersell us. Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

Take your wives and children to the Nickel Store.

Try Quinine Hair Tonic, the finest thing out. Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

Our goods are first class.
NICKEL STORE

We have three registered men in charge of our prescription department. Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

Nice presents for only 5 cents at the Nickel Store.

We carry a complete stock of fine toilet soaps at prices to suit everybody. Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

W. S. Dewey of Dumas, Moore county Texas, is visiting in Collin county after an absence of 6 years.

For cook stoves see John T. Nale one door east of postoffice.

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles.

Symtoms—Moisture; intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At druggist, or by mail, for 50 cts. Dr. Swayne & Son Philadelphia.

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by ERWIN & FANT,
McKinney, Texas

Just received, fifty new styles of visiting tablets and have onvelopes to match. Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

Buy the Kingsbury piano.

"How to Cure All Skin Diseases."

Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, &c., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment.

REMEMBER

That we only use the best and purest drugs that money will buy in our prescriptions, Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavins, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, Ring-Bone, Sprains, Stifles, all Swollen Throats, Coughs, etc. Save $50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Blemish Cure ever known. Sold by ERWIN & FANT,
McKinney, Texas

Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment

Is unequalled for Eczema, Tetter, Salt-Rheum, Scald Head, Sore Nipples, Chapped Hands, Itching Piles, Burns, Frost Bites, Chronic Sore Eyes and Granulated Eye Lids. For sale by druggists at 25 cents per box.

TO HORSE OWNERS.

For putting a horse in a fine healthy condition try Dr. Cady's Condition Powders. They tone up the system, aid digestion, cure loss of appetite, relieve constipation, correct kidney disorders and destroy worms, giving new life to an old or over-worked horse. 25 cents per package. For sale by druggists.

M'KINNEY MARKETS.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 7.

Cotton	7¼ to 8cts.
Wheat per bus.	30 to 50cts.
Corn " "	18to 19cts.
Oats " "	10 to 17cts.
Hay, baled, per ton	$4.00 to $5.00
Millet hay per ton	$5.00 to $6.00
Flour per cwt	$1.75 to 2.25
Chops per cwt	70cts.
Bran " cwt	60cts.
Irish Potatoes per bu.	75 to $1.00
Sweet Potatoes " "	40 to 50 cts.
Butter per lb	16 to 20cts.
Eggs per doz	10 to 13cts.
Lard per lb	10 to 11cts.
Hogs per cwt	$3.00
Beef on foot per cwt	$2.00, $2.25.
" dressed " lb	5cts.
Dressed pork per lb	4¼ cts.
Chickens per doz.	$2.25 to $2.50
Cotton seed per ton	$9.00.
Turkies	40 to 65 cts.

In a runaway Scott Allison was slightly injured yesterday by being thrown from his wagon.

If you want a good cigar 5 for 10 cents
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Go to Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

A marriage in the county clerk's office Tuesday attracted an unusually large crowd of curious young men and other varieties of sightseers. The groom was by no means the only rattled personage present. In the confusion subsequent to the important event Dick Allen congratulated Esq. J. H. Faulkner, who officiated, instead of the happy groom.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

"Don't Tobacco Spit or Smoke Your Life Away."

The truthful, startling title of a book about No-to-bac, the only harmless, guaranteed tobacco-habit cure. If you want to quit and can't, use "No-to-bac." Braces up nicotinized nerves, eliminates nicotine poisons, makes weak men gain stredgth, weight and vigor. Positive cure or money refunded. Book at druggists or mailed free. Address The Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago, 45 Randolph st.; New York, 10 Spruce Stre

Frank Howell of Corsicana came up and spent Sunday with his mother in this city.

To merchants in the country—If you have prescriptions that you do not carry the stock to fill, give us a call. We believe we carry a much larger stock than any one in McKinney. Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

Mrs. Viola Edwards, who has been quite ill, is convalescing.

M. B. Rexrode will sell you a Chicago Cottage organ, the most popular organ in the South-West, on time to suit purchaser. Discount for cash.

Prof. James A. Tate of Nashville, member of the National Prohibition Executive Committee, and a most eloquent and entertaining young orator, will lecture at the Methodist church in McKinney, to-morrow (Friday) evening at 7:30.

Largest and most complete stock of wall paper, paints, varnishes and glass in North Texas at City Drug Store.

Miss Alice Douglass of Melissa visited here yesterday.

Prof. J. B. Dodson has purchased the beautiful Henson residence just north of the Institute and will soon be domiciled in the same.

We carry a nice line of perfumes and toilet waters—such imported brands as Pinand, Dellatrey, Atkinson and Lubin. We also carry quite a line of domestic manufacture. Smith Bros. The leading Druggists.

Hallie Williams of Dallas has accepted a position in the Tennessee Store.

When in McKinney bring your families to W. D. Goostree's grocery store and see his large stock.

A hunting party composed of Rev. J. M. Robertson, C. C. Provine and Messrs. Smith and Weld visited Grassy lake this week in quest of ducks.

F. M. Locke, the blind preacher, has opened up a lunch stand on canvass street.

FOR SALE.

Two hundred and fifty head of gentle raised three and four year old steers, good grade, good colors, blocky cattle. Price $24.

Address F. E. WILSON,
Comanche, Tex.

SPECIAL CLOAK SALE!

FOR 10 DAYS AT

THE MISSISSIPPI STORE,

BEGINNING FRIDAY, NOV. 8.

100 Ladies' Capes . . $1.50 to $5.
100 Ladies' Jackets . . 75c to $5.
100 Child's Jackets . . 50c to $2.

150 LADIES' JACKETS, All Colors, worth $5.00 for $3.00
150 LADIES' JACKETS, All Colors, worth $7.50 to $10,

FOR $5

THE CHANCE TO GET A....

FINE CLOAK . .

FOR LITTLE MONEY. Don't Forget this Sale If You Need a Cloak.

EVERYTHNG IN MEN'S AND BOYS'

Clothing!

MEN'S SUITS FROM $2.00 UP.
BOYS' SUITS FROM 75c UP.
MEN'S LONG OVERCOATS 2.00.

The Cheapest House in Collin County!

FOLLOW THE CROWD TO THE BIG CASH STORE. ONE PRICE TO EVERYBODY AND THAT THE LOWEST.

MISSISSIPPI STORE.

THE CHAMPION OF TEXAS!

Culberson Knocked out Corbett and Fitzsimmons.

WE HAVE KNOCKED HIGH PRICES OUT OF THE GROCERY TRADE.

WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE OF STAPLE & FANCY

GROCERIES!

Which we are offering to the public at such low prices that our competitors are simply astonished at how we can sell so cheap. But the reason we can sell so cheap is because we have come here to sell groceries and in order to do that

... WE MUST SELL CHEAP ...

We ask the Public to come and get our prices and be convinced of what we say. We invite you all to come and see us.

J. J. WALDEN.

First Door South of Racket Store.

...THAT...

J. P. DOWELL'S

9 and 11 EAST LOUISIANA STREET

IS THE PLACE YOU WILL BUY YOUR

HARDWARE, MECHANIC'S TOOLS,

AND QUEENSWARE AND CHINA

AND ALL THE LEADING NOVELTIES THAT SUIT THE MASSES.

BRIC-A-BRAC THAT WE BOUGHT FROM LEADING MA... OF NEW YORK.

TIN ROOFING AND GU...

We use only the best grade of goo...

A HIGH FLYER

BATTLE AX PLUG

THE LARGEST PIECE OF GOOD TOBACCO EVER SOLD FOR 10 CENTS

DONT GET LEFT

THE KATY FLYER

A NEW FAST TRAIN

VIA

THE M. K. AND T. RAILWAY COMPANY.

FIRST CLASS SERVICE TO ST. LOUIS AND CHICAGO WITHOUT CHANGE.

P. P. P.

PRICKLY ASH, POKE ROOT AND POTASSIUM

Makes Marvelous Cures in Blood Poison Rheumatism and Scrofula

PIMPLES, BLOTCHES AND OLD SORES CATARRH, MALARIA, KIDNEY TROUBLES and DYSPEPSIA

P. P. P. purifies the blood, builds up the weak and debilitated, gives strength to weakened nerves, expels diseases, giving the patient health and happiness where sickness, gloomy feelings and lassitude first prevailed.

For primary secondary and tertiary syphilis, for blood poisoning, mercurial poison, malaria, dyspepsia, and in all blood and skin diseases, like blotches, pimples, old chronic ulcers, tetter, scald head, boils, erysipelas, eczema—we may say, without fear of contradiction, that P. P. P. is the best blood purifier in the world, and makes positive, speedy and permanent cures in all cases.

Ladies whose systems are poisoned and whose blood is in an impure condition, due to menstrual irregularities, are peculiarly benefited by the wonderful tonic and blood cleansing properties of P. P. P.—Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 14th, 1893. I can speak in the highest terms of your medicine from my own personal knowledge. I was affected with heart disease, pleurisy and rheumatism for 35 years, was treated by the very best physicians and spent hundreds of dollars, tried every known remedy without finding relief. I have only taken one bottle of your P. P. P., and can cheerfully say it has done me more good than anything I have ever taken. I can recommend your medicine to all sufferers of the above diseases.
MRS. M. M. YEARY,
Springfield, Green County, Mo.

Shortest Line { New Orleans To New York. Cincinnati. Birmingham. Chattanooga.

ABERDEEN, O., July 21, 1891.
MESSRS. LIPPMAN BROS., Savannah, Ga.: DEAR SIRS—I bought a bottle of your P. P. P. at Hot Springs, Ark., and it has done me more good than three months' treatment at the Hot Springs. Send three bottles C. O. D.
Respectfully yours,
JAS. M. NEWTON,
Aberdeen, Brown County, O.

Capt. J. D. Johnston.

To all whom it may concern: I hereby testify to the wonderful properties of P. P. P. for eruptions of the skin. I suffered for several years with an unsightly and disagreeable eruption on my face. I tried every known remedy but in vain, until P. P. P. was used, and am now entirely cured.
(Signed by) J. D. JOHNSTON,
Savannah, Ga.

Skin Cancer Cured.

Testimony from the Mayor of Sequin, Tex.

SEQUIN, TEX., January 14, 1893.
MESSRS. LIPPMAN BROS., Savannah, Ga.: *Gentlemen*—I have tried your P. P. P. for a disease of the skin, usually known as skin cancer, of thirty years' standing, and found great relief; it purifies the blood and removes all irritation from the seat of the disease and prevents any spreading of the sores. I have taken five or six bottles and feel confident that another course will effect a cure. It has also relieved me from indigestion and stomach troubles. Yours truly,
CAPT. W. M. RUST,
Attorney at Law.

Book on Blood Diseases Mailed Free.

ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT.

LIPPMAN BROS.
PROPRIETORS,
Lippman's Block, Savannah, Ga.

For Sale By Wallace & Everett.

THE QUEEN & CRESCENT ROUTE.

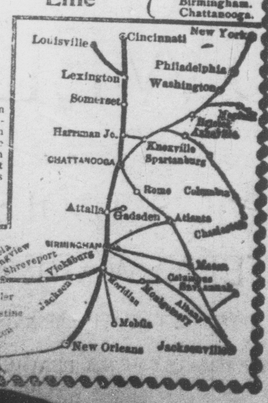
Choice of routes via New Orleans or Shreveport To the North and East.

Solid Trains New Orleans to Birmingham, Chattanooga & Cincinnati.

Through Cars Shreveport To Chattanooga, and New Orleans To Washington and New York.

The Q. & C. affords the only line from Shreveport to Cincinnati, all under one management, with solid vestibuled trains from Meridian. Only one change Shreveport to New York on vestibuled trains. Through Sleeper New Orleans to New York. Direct connection at Shreveport and at New Orleans with Texas Lines.

T. M. Hunt, T. P. A., Dallas, Texas.
E. H. Garrett, A. G. P. A., Cincinnati.



BURNED AT A STAKE.

A NEGRO CREMATED AT TYLER FOR MURDERING MRS. BELL.

The Mob Took Him From the Officers as Soon as He Confessed the Killing. He Was Burned on the Courthouse Square and the Execution Was Witnessed by a Big Crowd.

TYLER, Tex., Oct. 31.—The negro who murdered Mrs. Leonard Bell near here was run down by officers with the assistance of bloodhounds, and captured near Kilgore Tuesday. He was immediately taken to the scene of his crime and his guilt clearly established.

After he saw there was no use to deny the crime, as the evidence secured was conclusive, he confessed the deed, but denied the assault.

As soon as he told of his crime a mob of about 300 persons took the negro from the officers and brought him to this place and determined to meet out a speedy justice to him. The officers were powerless to do anything with the mob.

The spot where the burning took place is on the west side of the public square.

Upon arrival in town the negro was driven three times around the public square in plain view of 4000 or 5000 people. Quite a crowd came from Mineola to witness the execution. He displayed wonderful nerve and composure throughout the trying ordeal and reviewed the preparations for his death in the same stoical manner.

He was then tied to an iron rail set in a perpendicular position and boxes, barrels and pieces of lumber piled around him. He was told he could make a statement before being burned, but the crowd was too anxious for his life to let him finish.

The torch was applied, and soon the flames were around the negro. The fire was set so as to burn slowly to make his punishment more severe.

After having been tortured for over an hour the iron bar was pulled down, a monstrous fire was built and the negro roasted to death. The crowd then dispersed.

Agonizing shrieks came from the negro during his torture and he pleaded pitiously for mercy, but he only received hisses and curses.

The negro went by the name of Jim King.

A REVOLTING CRIME.

Mrs. Leonard Bell's Throat Cut and Her Body Cut Open.

TYLER, Tex., Oct. 30.—One of the most peaceful homes of this county was a scene of the most revolting murder about sundown Monday evening that ever occurred in east Texas. The victim is the wife of Leonard Bell, who lives five miles east of Tyler, one of Smith county's most prosperous farmers.

Mrs. Bell was returning alone from a visit to her mother's. She had gone a few minutes when she was seized by some one now unknown. Her throat was cut from ear to ear. The fiend, not being satisfied, cut her entire body wide open.

Great excitement prevails. Everywhere men are seen with guns, and if the guilty party is caught a lynching will follow. It is reported that a special train has left Tyler for Rusk for bloodhounds. Mr. and Mrs. Bell had been married two years.

WRECK ON THE KATY.

The Engineer Is Killed and a Number of Passengers Hurt.

WAXAHACHIE, Tex., Nov. 4.—The northbound passenger train on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad was wrecked yesterday morning four miles from this place. The engine left the track and four coaches followed.

The engineer, Mike Murphy of Denison, was killed, and in all, 22 people were injured, 13 of them more or less seriously. A little girl had her jaw bone broken and two or three parties had their legs broken.

Another report from the wreck says the engine turned over completely and so did four cars, but the baggagecar scooted off the track into the prairie and its occupants were uninjured. The engineer was caught under the boiler and killed. The fireman jumped, but was scalded. Sheriff Tom Bell of Hill county was hurt, but to what extent is not known. In all a dozen persons were injured, and several others received scratches and bruises.

Killing at Ladonia.

LADONIA, Tex., Nov. 1.—J. V. Hammitt was shot and killed by George Tucker in the public road in the edge of this place on Wednesday. Both men had been considered good citizens and lived near each other just outside the city limits and near where the killing occurred. Tucker came into town and gave himself up to Constable Early. From what can be learned the killing was the result of an alleged intimacy existing between Tucker and a daughter of the murdered man. Hammitt was running from his assailant when shot. He died instantly. The ball went through his heart.

Iron Safe Stolen.

WELLBORN, Tex., Oct. 31.—Entrance was forced into M. S. Freeman's store here by unknown parties, who took the safe out of the house and hauled it away on a cottontruck to a place of safety, where it was completely demolished and $195 taken therefrom. From different tracks found it appeared there were three parties connected with the robbery. No clew has yet been found that would lead to the identity of the parties.

Fired Upon the Sheriff.

CLEBURNE, Tex., Nov. 4.—A man giving his name as Wilkins, and hailing from Alabama, sold a horse here on Friday. Sheriff Stewart suspected that something was wrong and arrested him on suspicion. On his way to jail Wilkins drew a pistol and began firing at the sheriff and attempted to escape. Stewart returned the fire, but Wilkins got behind a tree into which the sheriff's pistol was emptied. He was afterwards captured and lodged in jail.

Young Lady Burned to Death.

KAUFMAN, Tex., Nov. 1.—At Lone Oak, nine miles southeast of Kaufman, Miss Jennie Gibb, about 16 years old, was found in her mother's orchard near the house with her clothes burned almost entirely from her person. She was unable to tell how her clothes caught fire. After suffering intense agony about 24 hours she died Tuesday evening, never having recovered consciousness sufficiently to tell how she caught on fire.

HEARTILY CHEERED.

EX-PRESIDENT HARRISON MAKES A GREAT SPEECH.

It Was Made In His Introduction of General John B. Gordon to an Indianapolis Audience, Who Delivered His Lecture Upon "The Last Days of the Confederacy."

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 2.—General John B. Gordon Thursday night delivered his lecture upon "The Last Days of the Confederacy." The audience contained Commander-in-Chief Walker of the Grand Army of the Republic, James Whitcomb Riley and a large number of prominent veterans of the city and state. Ex-President Harrison was loudly cheered when he arose to introduce General Gordon. He said:

"Ladies and Gentlemen—I do not believe that a lecture by Bismarck on the last days of the Franco-Prussian war would be listened to in Paris, but we shall listen tonight, not only without prejudice, but with very great pleasure, to a lecture from that distinguished soldier and statesman, General Gordon of Georgia. The two conditions are widely different. We have no Alsace and Lorraine. We have not lost any territory. We are tonight again a union of all the states, under one flag, loved by all its people. [Applause.] We are cherishing no revenge. We are tonight asking only this question of any man: 'Does he love the constitution and the flag?' [Applause.] And this question our distinguished friend has already nobly answered. [Applause.]

"There was some good accruing from that long and bloody strife. We learned to have a better appreciation of each other. Before the war the south undervalued the north and the north undervalued the south. In that struggle we learned to value each other for what we are worth, and to find in each other that courage, that endurance, that devotion to a cause which is characteristic of Americans, and made us one in spite of our strife. [Applause.] And not that only—for I shall not go through the catalogue—it has given us a magnificent preparation for the next war. [Applause.] There was a great deal of discussion during the war, and there has been a great deal since by military critics, as to the relative advantages possessed by the Confederate and the Union armies. We had ampler war materials and larger population. Perhaps we did not have a fair test of which are the better men; but if this country should ever again assemble a great army and Georgia should charge with Indiana then we would know, and woe to those who would meet that resistless charge.

"It is a source of profound congratulation and rejoicing to every true American that asperities born of the antewar discussion and of the war, are being wiped out, and that today we are one in our love for this flag; one in our adherence to the constitution of the United States, and that we present to every foreign foe that threatens a united, courageous people. [Applause.] Without detaining you further, let me present to you General Gordon."

ANOTHER SERIOUS WRECK.

Three Persons Are Killed and Over a Score Injured.

WHEELING, Nov. 4.—The worst railroad wreck in the immediate vicinity of Wheeling for many years occurred yesterday morning at Elm Grove, five miles east, on the Pittsburg division of the Baltimore and Ohio road. The Pittsburg-Cincinnati express, known as the cannon ball, jumped the track on a bridge over Wheeling creek, owing to a broken flange on a wheel of the smokingcar. The engine, tender and baggagecar kept the track, while the mailcar, smoker and Pullman parlorcar went over a bank 16 feet high. The day coach turned completely over and the other two lay on their sides. The cars were completely demolished, seeming to have been thrown some distance through the air.

So far only two deaths have occurred. A woman thought to be Mrs. Miranda Hare of Kitanning, Pa., but not positively identified, owing to the way she was dressed, jumped from the car and was instantly killed. The 8-months-old baby of Lawrence Bartlett of Pittsburg was sitting on its father's lap when the accident occurred. It was so badly injured that it died in a few minutes. The father and mother were unhurt. The exact number of injured is hard to get reliably. Nine were taken to the city hospital and three to the Wheeling hospital, while fully 20 are at houses near the scene of the accident. Of those who were hurt several will die.

Caught After a Long Chase.

MEMPHIS, Nov. 4.—Sheriff M. H. Patterson of Woodruff county, Arkansas, passed through here Saturday with J. M. Leslie, alias Ryan, alias Lewis, whom he arrested at Okalona, Miss. His chase of the man extended over 2,200 miles, but the crimes warranted the persistent pursuit. Leslie is wanted for two bigamous marriages in Texas and Arkansas and for many forgeries.

Fight In Tennessee.

NASHVILLE, Nov. 4.—In the outskirts of Clarksville a mob of negroes attacked four white men and a general fight occurred Saturday night. Henry Baker, white, about 50 years old, was stabbed twice, dying instantly. One other white man was stabbed and badly injured. Two negroes were also hurt. Three negroes are in jail charged with the murder.

Condenser a Total Loss.

HUTCHINS, Tex., Nov. 4.—The condenser of B. D. Atwell's gin is a total loss, besides other damages, amounting to about $4000, covered by insurance. The fire was extinguished by the use of the spray from the engine before greater damage was done.

To Stand Trial.

GROESBECK, Tex., Nov. 2.—J. W. Thompson and A. L. Thompson, father and son, respectively, have left here for Corsicana, Tex., to go on trial at that place. They stand charged with the killing of George Wake at Corsicana some months ago.

Sewell Has Given Bond.

WACO, Tex., Nov. 4.—There are no new developments in the McGregor bank robbery affair. Young Sewell is at liberty, having given bond in the sum of $5000. Frank Henry, the other accused man, is here in jail.

He Got Damages.

MCKINNEY, Tex., Nov. 4.—Sheriff J. L. Moulden of this county was awarded $1000 damages by the jury in his libel suit against the Houston Post, and a like suit against the Dallas News was begun by the same plaintiff.

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"No," said Mr. Carlisle; "that's very good whisky, but it's only 17 years old."

Mr. Blackburn said, "That's right, John, and it came from Bourbon county, in my old district."

The host agreed that it was Bourbon county whisky, but maintained that it was 19 years old and asked his visitors for a candid opinion of its merits. Blackburn tried another glass and said, "I have only one fault to find, and that is a slight flavor of rusty metal." Carlisle filled again and said that, so far as he was concerned, he was unable to detect any flavor of metal, but that it did taste a little leathery.

This criticism rather wrought on the feelings of their host, who declared that it was impossible that either leather or metal could have come in contact with the goods, as they were still in the wood, and, as for the age, he would take them into the cellar, where they could satisfy themselves on that score. Into the cellar they went, and the seals showed that Mr. Carlisle's estimate of their age was correct. This the host confessed after an examination, but he refused to admit that there was any off flavor to his pet brand. The Kentuckians tasted again and were more firmly set in their opinions than before. Finally the host undertook to have the entire package decanted off to settle the dispute, and when the last dregs were reached an old fashioned carpet tack, with a leather washer, was found in the bottom of the barrel. That of course ended the discussion, and the host has never since disputed the word of a Kentuckian when he was talking about whisky.—Cincinnati Tribune.

THE END OF MANKIND.

Scientists Who Believe That the Human Race Will Shrink Away.

There is a whole school of European scientists who believe that this world will "come to an end," as far as mankind are concerned, at about the year 4000 A. D., by the human race degenerating until they finally disappear from the face of the globe. French, English and German statisticians of this school have been studying the military and other record for proof of their unique theories, and if their published accounts are reliable they have been surprisingly successful.

The records used by both the German and the Frenchman extend back nearly 400 years. From these it is learned that the average height of continental Europeans in 1610 was 5 feet 9 inches. In 1790 they had degenerated until the average was only 5 feet 6 inches and 80 years later, in 1820, it was only 5 feet 5 inches. At the present time it is only 5 feet 3¾ inches. It is an easy matter for expert statisticians to deduce from the above figures facts that will prove a regular and very rapid decline in human stature. Figuring in an opposite direction, it is shown that the men of 5,000 years ago were giants, whose average height was 16 feet and 9 inches. Coming down to our era it is shown that the average height of man was 9 feet, and that in the fifth century there were more men that were over 7 feet high than were less than 6.

But the most astonishing results of this scientific story of degeneration come from the application of this law of gradual diminution to the future. It is shown that by the end of the year 3500 A. D. the stature of the average man will be reduced to 15 inches, and that within less than 500 years from that date, or, say, about the year 4000, mankind will have utterly disappeared from the globe.—St. Louis Republic.

Amusing Blunder of Empress Eugenie.

An amusing incident occurred while the pages were rehearsing the part they had to play in certain festivities. They were chosen from among the diminutive grooms in the emperor's stables, and when the costume was ready a pretty boy, who seemed about 12 years of age, was brought to the empress for her examination and approval. The dress pleased her, and she turned the boy around to inspect him fully, setting his velvet cap jauntily on his curls, which she arranged to her satisfaction, adjusting his ruff, etc.; then, kindly patting his cheek, she inquired:

"How old are you, my little friend?"

"Twenty, madam."

The scream of dismay which followed and the amusement of the bystanders may be imagined.—Century.

Liverystable Burned.

WACO, Tex., Oct. 31.—The 2-story brick liverystable of Douglas Herring burned Tuesday. The fire started in a hayloft. The total loss is about $20,000. There were from 40 to 50 carriages, wagons and other vehicles in the stable, belonging to nearly as many different people, and all were consumed, including six or seven horses, which could not be liberated in time. The origin of the fire is not known.

Burned by Gasoline.

HOUSTON, Nov. 4.—Mrs. Henrietta H. Hennessey was badly burned here. She is 64 years of age, and runs a boardinghouse. She was lighting a gasoline stove to cook supper when the oil can exploded, setting fire to her clothes and completely enveloping her in flames. Before assistance arrived she was so badly burned she cannot recover.

Supposed to Be Counterfeiters.

DALLAS, Nov. 2.—The police here have under arrest L. Woods, William Carville, Walter H. Gibson and G. W. McKenzie on suspicion of being counterfeiters. It is alleged they have been carrying on the business here during the fair. The officers claim they have conclusive evidence. The parties are supposed to be from Colorado.

A Store Robbed.

HUTTO, Tex., Nov. 4.—Miller & Saul's general merchandise store was broken into and robbed of some goods, the amount of which is not known.

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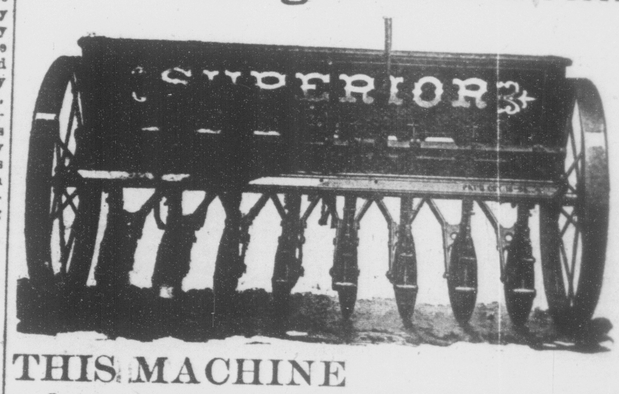

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